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FAC Spotlight: Dept. of Revenue will assist with KY tax return preparation for FAC employees

Do you want help with preparing your 2014 Kentucky individual income tax return? If you're a Finance Cabinet employee, then you're in luck. Or, if you just want DOR to electronically file them for free, they can do that too.

Assistance Preparing / e-Filing KY Return

If you need assistance with preparing your Kentucky return, call (502-564-5930) to find out more about this service and to schedule an appointment.

You will need to bring supporting documentation such as donation receipts or healthcare expenses. [Click here](#) for the Intake and Interview Sheet. This is a good check list for you to follow in gathering information to bring with you to your meeting.

If you only need to drop off a completed return to have e-filed, you can do so at the Frankfort Taxpayer Service Center, located inside the DOR at 501 High Street in Frankfort. Be sure to print and sign [Form 8879-K](#) to authorize DOR to file electronically as well as a completed [Intake and Interview form](#).

E-Filing Federal Tax Return

DOR will e-file your 2014 individual tax return if you so desire. DOR cannot prepare your federal return for you, but they can file it for you. You will need to print and sign [Form 8879](#) and include it with the information you drop off or send DOR.

For DOR to e-file both state and federal returns for you, you must get them to DOR by April 15, 2015.

If you have questions, please contact David Curtis at 502-564-9585, DavidP.Curtis@ky.gov, or Juanita Noel at 502-564-5930, Juanita.Noel@ky.gov.

Remember, this service is for individual tax returns only and does not include returns with business schedules such as C, D, E, F and Form 2106.

Participating employees must complete and sign their federal and state tax returns as well as the attached Form 8879, Form 8879-K and the Federal Form 13614-C Intake/Interview & Quality Review Sheet.

Please send all forms in an envelope with your name, phone number where you can be reached during business hours, and DOR work station # (if applicable), on the front of the envelope.



Winner
Arie Porter

COT Chili Cook Off a Tasty Treat

What better way to beat the winter blahs than to have a friendly competition. It didn't start out that way, though. Folks in COT's Asset Management group thought sharing a bowl of chili with co-workers would make for a tasty treat and soon they decided some friendly competition would be even more fun.

"We came up with the idea on a Friday and set it up for the following Thursday and off we went," said Matt Metzger with COT. "This was the first one we've had, and next year we may expand outside of COT to possibly make it a KECC function."

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Here's your chance to win an iPad In KHEAA drawing

Kentucky residents have another chance to win a new iPad from the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA) in a sweepstakes being held through Facebook in February. The contest runs from 12 a.m. on Feb. 1 through 12 a.m. on March 1.

To enter, a Kentuckian must click on the orange graduate icon on the KHEAA Facebook page, answer one question about college, and "like" KHEAA on Facebook. KHEAA will not share or sell any personal information to a third party.

Only Kentucky residents are eligible. Employees of KHEAA or its sister agency, the Kentucky Higher Education Student Loan Corporation (KHESLC), and their immediate family members are not eligible. Prior winners are also not eligible.

The drawing will be held in early March, and the winner will be notified by email. The winner must respond by email within three calendar days to receive the iPad with Retina display. If no response is received within three days, another winner will be drawn.

To learn how to plan and prepare for higher education, go to www.gotocollege.ky.gov. For more information about Kentucky scholarships and grants, visit www.kheaa.com; write KHEAA, P.O. Box 798, Frankfort, KY 40602; or call (800) 928-8926, ext. 6-7372.

Chili Cook Off cont'd from Pg. 1

There were five different entries – Chicken chili, Cincinnati style, and three variations of red. Aric Porter, Matt Metzger, Ben Hogsed, Bob Dicken, and Jimmy Powers put all their secret ingredients

together for the taste-fest. Other COT staff contributed side dishes and judged the competition.

Aric Porter, Branch Manager, Field Services, had the crowd favorite with his spicy recipe. Melanie and Justin McIntosh made the trophy and score cards.



Brian Kiser, executive director of the Office of Broadband Outreach and Development, took the picture below early Saturday morning. It was picked up by the local TV news and the Weather Channel. This one is called, "Snowladen."

